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James R. Riegel

Prior Application: 09/439,766
Examiner: D. Underwood
Art Unit: 3652

Commissioner for Patents
Box CPA
Washington, DC 20231

**CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION (CPA) TRANSMITTAL
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d)**

Sir:

This is a request for filing a

- Continuation
 Divisional

application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d) (Continued Prosecution Application (CPA)) of pending U.S. Application No. 09/439,766 filed on November 15, 1999 by inventors J. Kramer entitled Force Feedback and Texture Simulating Interface Device, and from which priority under 35 U.S.C. §120 is claimed.

**PLEASE NOTE: THIS APPLICATION ABANDONS THE PARENT APPLICATION AS OF THE
FILING DATE OF THIS APPLICATION.**

1. (a) Enclosed is a Small Entity Affidavit.
- (b) A Small Entity Affidavit is of record in the prior application.
- (c) Small Entity Status is not claimed.

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01 FC:116 41.00 CH 349.00 OP

2. The filing fee is calculated below:

Claims remaining in the application after entry of any amendments under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 that were not entered in the prior application and less any claims canceled by amendment below:

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01 FC:131	710.00 OP
02 FC:103	126.00 CP
03 FC:110	18.00 CP

Fee Calculation (37 CFR §1.116)

FOR:	(COL. 1) NO.FILED	(COL. 2) EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY RATE	FEE \$345	OR	LARGE ENTITY RATE	FEE \$690	TOTAL
BASIC FEE					OR			
TOTAL CLAIMS	<u>27</u> -20 =	<u>7</u>	x9 =	\$	OR	x18 =	\$	\$ <u>63.00</u>
INDEP. CLAIMS	<u>4</u> -03 =	<u>1</u>	x40 =	\$	OR	x80=	\$	\$ <u>40.00</u>
[] Multiple Dependent Claim Presented			135 =	\$ _____	OR	270 =	\$ _____	
			Total	\$ _____	OR	Total	\$ _____	

3. Please enter the enclosed Preliminary Amendment.
4. Applicant(s) hereby petition for a two (2) month(s) extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated June 5, 2001, the extension fee is \$ 390.00.
5. Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 50-1815.
6. Petition for Suspension of Prosecution for the time necessary to file an Amendment.
7. Please enter the unentered Amendment after Final Rejection, filed _____ under 37 CFR §1.116, as a preliminary amendment.
8. A conditional petition for extension of time is being filed in the pending prior application, a copy of the petition is attached.
9. The Power of Attorney in the prior application is to:

James R. Riegel 36,651
Attorney Registration No.

- The power appears in the original papers in the prior application.
 The power does not appear in the original papers, but was filed on _____.
 A new power has been executed and is attached.
 The above attorney, as principal attorney, hereby appoints the following associate attorneys or agents as provided under 37 CFR 1.34:

Attorney or Agent Registration No.

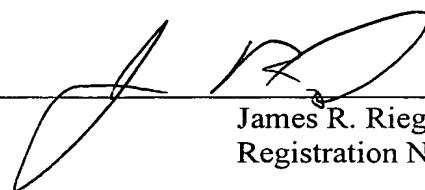
- Address all future mail communications to:

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San Jose, CA 95131

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9. Our Check No. 33216 in the amount of \$1,203.00 is enclosed for the filing fee, extra claim fee and two-month extension of time.
10. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1815 (Order No. VTI002D). A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Date: August 6, 2001


James R. Riegel
Registration No. 36,651